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Dear Harold,

I received and read your 3 page letter/answer to mine. Thanks for it. I have for a long time considered you as a good friend and may I assure you I still do. I respect you for your having worked diligently and long on the JFK case. But,please believe me, Harold,SO HAVE I done likewise!! Perhaps more than you may know! I read your letter slowly 4 times. I understand your points.But as you know, (maybe)..I am THE expert on the media and what they have and have NOT done throuout these 30½ years relating to this case. After all, I am the unchallenged "TAPE-MASTER" of the JFK assassination, having personally compiled more than 6,000 hours of video and audiotapes on the case, very much from/of news media reportage, distortions of truth,etc!! Therefore, in answer to my saying that " The CIA OWNS THE NEWS-MEDIA", and, in your letter you saying that "IT IS NOT AS YOU SAY"(me)"THAT THE CIA OWNS THE MEDIA" ... Harold, it is YOU who is wrong about this. THEY MOST CERTAINLY DO!!. I've enclosed a copy, sent to me by the CIA, of a CIA document # 1035-960...the first 3 pages of it. In it they say they will use their " PROPAGANDA ASSETS" TO/FOR ITS TITLE," COUNTERING CRITICISM OF THE WARREN REPORT"!! In addition, in 1977, Carl Bernstein,of Watergate fame, wrote a 63 page article in "ROLLING STONE" magazine in which he asserts that no fewer than 400 American journalists secretly were paid to work for the CIA. That was in 1977. I wonder how many do so now.???

doThe enclosed CIA document was issued only 2 months after the news broke (on Feb.17,1967 about Garrison's investigation having begun!! And the CIA media viciously attacked Garrison, then Richard A.Sprague, then OliverStone!! Doesn't THAT tell you something,Harold???2 plus 2 are always 4 They(CIA) own them(media) like I own my own hand,Harold, believe me!! Do you thin I've learned NOTHING in listening to this,my, compillation of this more than 6,00 hours of tapes and everything else I've done in this case of which you know quite little, apparently! And I'm STILL sending out my "HSCA COVERUP" books, my news-letters and video & audiotapes of THE TRUTH in this matter as few others know it! to my many subscribers across this country and to people in Canada and England. And I've appeared as guest-expert on more than 240 radio & TV shows, including my very own ~~ww~~ weekly,hourly Mannattan Cable-TV shows called"Assassination USA". So, my credentials are prodigious , And continuing!! So please don't regard me as an unknowledgeable idiot in the case. I know more than I care to know about our "democratic government" and our superbly murderous intelligence community!!! You have worked meticulously long and assiduously and bloody hard through these 30½ years...but you're not alone in THAT effort..so have I !!! More than you'll ever know, my friend!! OK??..OK!! By the way your new book,"Case Open" is being advertised by a firm in Texas..I just yesterday received their flyer on it, and o others. I think I'll order a copy of it, but I personally think it's a waste of time writing a complete book just to dispel a lying bastard like Posner!! It's the same as attempting to dispel David Belin,isn't it??? That's it for now. Hoping this letter finds you and the Mrs. hale and hearty.Give my best regards to her for me as I send YOU them also! Remember..intelligent minds may differ,right?

Best,

Ted.

P.S. Harold, should you want the complete 53 pages of the enclosed CIA document, just let me know and I'll send it to you forthwith.T.G.